



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Thomas David Starkey  
Serial No: 10/619,985  
Filed: July 15, 2003  
For: A Device And Method To Limit Filling Of The Heart  
Group Art Unit: 3738  
Examiner: Bruce Edward Snow  
Attorney's Docket No: N9464-ICW  
Customer No: 23456

**SECOND, SUPPLEMENTAL**  
**AFTER-FINAL AMENDMENT UNDER RULE 1.116**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

Please amend Claims 31-34 as shown in the following proffered Amendment.